

## Iron County Register

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### LOCAL BREVITIES.

Epworth League Play, March 31st.

Fresh Bulk Cocoa, 10c lb., at Lopez's.

Last Thursday was a rainy day sure enough.

The fisherman, along with the early gardener, is growing impatient.

The Hot Time Minstrels are talking of giving an exhibition in Bismarck.

An unusual number of people suffering from colds and grip and kindred ills.

Remember the Legion Dance at the Academy Theatre the night of St. Patrick's day.

Dr. Zimmer, dentist, will be in his home office, Ironton, three weeks, beginning March 20th.

Two or three small bungalows, built by St. Louisians, have lately been built at Lake Killarney.

John Propst, Jr., who formerly lived at Brunot, has removed to the Miller farm, on Marble Creek.

If you are feeling badly, put your troubles away by taking Tanlac. Arcadia Valley Drug Co.—Adv.

Attend the Recital Thursday evening. Benefit of Provident Association. Admission, 10 and 25c.

A dance is advertised to take place at Workmen's Hall, Graniteville, Thursday night. Given by the Royal Neighbors.

Mr. W. H. Fisher Sunday received word that his daughter, Mrs. Florence Carroll, of Poplar Bluff had that morning gave birth to a baby boy. Congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Kendall Saturday received word that a daughter had that morning been born to their daughter, Mrs. Alma Scott, in St. Louis. All well.

Rev. W. C. Allen, pastor of the M. Church, Ironton, colored, will preach at the Missionary Baptist Church at Roselle, March 17, 7:30 p. m. All are cordially invited. By order of Deacon Singleton.

For Rent—White House Hotel at Fredericktown, 23 rooms. Rent reasonable. Furnished complete; furnishings can be bought right. If interested write Geo. W. Albright, Fredericktown, Mo.

Judge Dearing taxed several bootlegger one hundred dollars each after their pleas of guilty in the circuit court here Tuesday morning. A stiffer dose awaits them if they ever come back.—Potosi Journal.

H. L. Bell, who has been quite sick at the home of his mother in Bellevue, suffering from influenza, is reported to be improving. Mrs. Bell and her daughter, Mrs. Eldson, are quite sick in a hospital in St. Louis.

Mrs. J. H. Keith, District Deputy President, District No. 146, left for Reynolds county Sunday. She installed officers in Lesterville Rebeekah Lodge Monday evening, March 13, and will spend a few days visiting old friends.

Mrs. G. W. Collins of Ironton was called to St. Louis last Friday by the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. E. E. Rehagen, who had been in a hospital for three weeks past. At this writing Mrs. Rehagen is reported to be improving.

Bismarck announces that it will have thirty street lights—to be paid for by private subscription—when the new light plant gets in running order. This may be all right, brother, but if that arrangement lasts any length of time it will be an exception to the rule.

A Mrs. Russell, of St. Louis, who owns a number of the Murdock-Crumb town lots east of the railroad station, will build a five-room bungalow thereon in the near future. The contract for the building, it is said, has been let to George Whitt, a builder from Irondale.

Columbia, Mo., March 6: "With the beginning of spring outdoor drill by the cadet corps of the University of Missouri R. O. T. C. vacancies in the regiment were filled this week. Cadet Sergeant Raymond K. Kietz, of Ironton, was promoted to 1st Sergeant of Battery "A" and put on his new chevrons today."

Can't we have that electric light on the bridge between here and Arcadia? There should be no trouble in getting the money if some one will just interest himself sufficiently to start the thing going. And such a light would, indeed, be a blessing to the wayfarer between the two towns on a dark night. Somebody start it.

Recorder Hawkins issued the following marriage licenses the past week:

Andrew A. Thompson and Leola Sheets of Bellevue.

Robert B. Thomas, of Crafton, Penna., and Mollie M. Stamey of Des Arc.

Aaron N. Miles and Daisy De Shaney of Des Arc.

The Baptist Home: "We are expecting great results from the egg offering. Already words of cheer are coming from the churches. The only way to make it a success, is for the members of every church to combine their efforts. Pipe all hands to deck and make a clean sweep. An efficient committee is very essential. With such a committee in the church, the offering can not fail."

Sank Robinson, a negro charged with killing Orville Farmer, a white man at Poplar Bluff on March 4th, was brought to Ironton Monday by Deputy Sheriff Gillespie of Butler county and placed in the Iron county jail to await the action of the next grand jury in Butler county. From reports Robinson is a "bad nigger" and he was brought here for safe keeping.

Word was received here Sunday evening of the death that day of Chas. Eldracher at Sikeston, Mo. Eldracher was employed as a fireman on the "Cat" road and is said to have fallen from the cab of an engine, receiving injuries which resulted in his death in a short time. The deceased was for many, many years employed on one of the pushers at Arcadia and old friends learn of his tragic death with genuine sorrow.

Bismarck Gazette: "The Sheriff and deputies have been watching shaft No. 2, an abandoned shaft at Iron Mountain, as they rather suspected that Jesse Pitts, one of the men wanted for the murder of Jas. Birchall of Irondale, was hiding there. Suspicion was aroused when a sister of Pitts was seen going to the shaft at different times, presumably to take some food there. A search of the shaft was made on Thursday, but the posse failed to find any trace of Pitts."

The following is sent us, from Columbia, Mo., under date of March 7th: "At the regular session of the M. S. U. Debating Society at the University of Missouri, F. E. Reagan and J. L. Perrin upheld the negative of the question, 'Resolved, that co-operative marketing is beneficial to the agricultural industry.' The affirmative speakers, C. B. Albright and G. N. Hayden, were unable to answer their arguments, and the negative side won the decision of the judges."

The April term of circuit court convenes April 3d. There are 87 cases on the docket—29 of which are criminal cases. This is by far the biggest circuit court docket in Iron county in many years—perhaps, the largest ever. It is said that ten or more of the criminal cases will go to trial, so a longer term of court than usual may be looked for. The Eighteenth Amendment, along with the Volstead enactment, is not a howling success in lessening crime. All the world has found that out.

H. B. Potts, who has represented the Hartford Insurance Company in this vicinity the past eight months left last Saturday for Sedalia where he will be located for ninety days, at the end of which time he will return here. He expects to be back here a day or two each month of the three months he will have headquarters at Sedalia. Mr. Potts wants to inform his patrons that any loss reported or correction desired made during his absence will be taken care of as promptly as if he were here.

At the Community Sale to be held at the north Rosentree barn in Ironton, Saturday, March 25th, among other things to be offered will be a used Ford Touring Car, two Good Saddle Horses, four Good Work Horses, one set of Buggy Harness, one set of Work Harness, Good Buggy, Cooking Stove, Heating Stove and Good Church Organ, some new Linoleum, Cultivators, Plows, etc. Those desiring to place articles in the sale will please list the same with Ray B. Pinkley, who will also provide storage until day of sale.

Mr. Wm. D. McKee, who is connected with the State Board of Agriculture, has been tentatively booked to address the citizens of Iron county March 24th and 25th on dairying and other subjects. The hours, places and subjects to be discussed by him will appear in our next issue. Other speakers will follow at a later date. This is splendid of the State Board of Agriculture to send such men as Mr. McKee to instruct our citizens on these important subjects and we sincerely hope that our people will show their appreciation by turning out to hear him.

Following are the names and addresses of those attending the teachers' examination in Ironton, March 3d and 4th:

Virgie Clements, Bixby.  
Lizzie Hedrick, Bixby.  
Maude James, Des Arc.  
Mrs. Stella Carter, Carter.  
J. T. Patterson, Ironton.  
Maggie Aldridge, Ironton.  
Byron Conway, Bellevue.  
Mrs. Houston McColl, Annapolis.  
Houston McColl, Annapolis.  
Ethel Ramsey, Roselle.  
Mrs. Mae Goggin, Pilot Knob.  
Mabel Merritt, Bossa.  
Robert Jones, Ironton.  
Carl Pippin, Redmondville.

Sheriff Marshall received word Sunday night that he was needed in the Chloride neighborhood, south of Ironton; that dire trouble was brewing. The official got a car and hied to Chloride, arriving there some time after midnight. The trouble was not so serious as represented but there was trouble and it all came from a couple of men "swapping" wives and one fellow and his wife not standing by the bargain. The man most anxious to make the exchange it is said hauled his wife a quarter of a mile in a wheelbarrow to deliver her to her new lord and master. But the "lord and master" had flown across the hills, taking his wife with him. The grand jury may investigate the matter.

We learn from the Democrat-News that "the state road running west of Fredericktown toward the Iron county line is to be completed before the end of the present year, according to announcements made by the state highway authorities last week. Assistant District Engineer Halley was here Saturday and with County Engineer McCormick finally decided the matter of location immediately west of town and also made a decision regarding the location of the bridge across Little River. The route, as decided upon, leaves the present road at the lower corner of George Lanpher's field and strikes the river at the old stone abutments of the bridge that was destroyed during the Civil War. It comes into the present road again several hundred yards east of the present ford."

Says the Fredericktown Democrat-News: "The will of Momen E. Blanton, who died February 26, was filed in the Probate Court Saturday. The will was a very short instrument, and leaves the estate in fee simple to the widow, Mrs. Emma Blanton, excepting a 200x200 foot lot facing Sloss lane which is left to the daughter, Mrs. Henry Schwaner. The will explains that similar lots have previously been given the two sons, James W. and William L. While absolute ownership and control of the entire estate is left to Mrs. Blanton, the will provides that any of the property not disposed of at the time of her death, shall be shared equally by the three children. Mrs. Blanton is made executrix, without bond. The will was made May 11, 1914."

### Big Bargains in Government Harness.

This is new surplus stock, originally made for the artillery service, but converted for commercial use. Extra heavy materials at bargain prices. LOPEZ STORE CO.

### PERSONAL.

Emil Roehry was home Sunday.

G. W. Scoggin of Glover was in town Monday.

Sam Gay was home from Columbia the past week.

Mrs. C. L. Priday was a St. Louis visitor last week.

Mrs. Chas. E. Downey and Addie Louise went to St. Louis last Friday.

Earl Parker, who is taking vocational training at Rolla, is expected home this week.

J. I. Carl, who is now running a sawmill at Dillard, in Crawford county, was an Ironton visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Bailey and son arrived from Piedmont Saturday on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Kendall.

J. A. Reyburn returned Saturday from an absence of two months in St. Louis as a member of the federal pet jury.

W. R. Edgar, W. H. Webb, J. L. Baldwin, D. E. Fletcher, A. L. Schwab and others went to Jefferson City Monday.

Mrs. H. R. Polak arrived Thursday from St. Louis on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hanson, in Ironton.

James Travilla, for many years street commissioner of St. Louis, was a business visitor to Ironton the first of the week.

Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Smith went to Kirkeville, Mo., last Friday. The Dr. expects to return home in a few days. Mrs. Smith will remain some time for treatment.

### Farm Machinery and Wire Fencing.

We hereby announce to the public in general and the people of Iron county in particular that we are agents for all International Farm Machinery and repairs. We have just received a shipment of Plows, Harrows, Disc Harrows, Cultivators, Planters, Mowers, Cream Separators, Etc. This line of implements needs no introduction for everybody knows what Deering and McCormick machines are. We will have a truck which will call on every farmer to help him check up on his machinery to find out what he will need in the way of repairs, which will enable him to get them before they are needed and save loss of time when harvest begins. Most of these we will be able to deliver to your farm or some point near by. Look for truck soon.

Wire Fencing just unloading. Car of Keystone Wire and Nails. We meet competition. Get our prices.

SIGNER & SIGNER,  
Arcadia, Mo.

### The Annapolis Lead Mine.

Last Saturday a special coach attached to train number 3 brought from the city of St. Louis to this county a large party of prominent business men of that city, accompanied by competent engineers, who made an inspection of the newly discovered lead mine near Annapolis, owned by the Annapolis Lead Company, which has been reopened and is again in operation.

Some of the members of the party were stockholders of the Company, evidently present for the purpose of conferring with the officials in charge relative to the large expenditures soon to be made on the Company's properties for improvements, while most of the others came with the apparent purpose of a personal investigation of the mine and its possibilities with a view of investing in the stock of the Company.

The Annapolis Lead Company owns 680 acres of land immediately south of the town of Annapolis upon which a body of rich lead ore was discovered and proven some time ago by means of diamond drilling and followed up by the sinking of a large double compartment shaft down to the ore deposit from which drifting into the ore has begun.

We are informed that the Annapolis Lead Company spent in prospecting and development work, alone, around \$300,000.00 and that provision has now been made for the erection of a large mill or concentration plant, with a capacity of 1000 tons per day, to cost \$450,000.00, and that the contract for the mill and other machinery necessary for the successful operation of the mine has been let. Work on the mill and power plant foundations will start by April 1st and the officers of the company anticipate delivery of the machinery within the next six weeks and expect to have the mill in operation by the first day of September of the present year. Power will be supplied by a steam turbo plant with 1000 K. W. capacity and the entire plant will be electrified.

Thirty men are employed by the Annapolis Lead Company now and when the plant is equipped as arranged for at least 150 employees will be required, which will mean much to the people of this county.

Mr. M. C. Rhodes, a progressive business man of St. Louis, is President and Mr. S. S. Clark, an experienced mining man and engineer, well known throughout this section, is the General Manager.

Mr. Clark informed our representative that from the ore in sight in the mine at this time he would be able to mine seven per cent lead for a year.

From all the information we have been able to gather regarding the Annapolis lead mine we are of the opinion that its owners are due to make some money and, gentlemen, you have our best wishes for success. What is good for you will automatically benefit our people and the community in general. Every citizen of this county should help and encourage this meritorious undertaking.

An old-fashioned lunch, elaborate and satisfying, was served by the company at the club house on the arrival of the visitors at the mines.

Following is a list of those present: Robert L. Niedringhaus, J. H. Howe, E. J. Scott, Tom J. Scott, Walter L. Hensley, Edw. Prendergast, M. P. Brazill, Jr., Chester I. Dale, Dr. E. Alfred Marquard, Robert Hensley, G. R. Ruedi, A. G. Brauer, R. K. Lowry, K. E. Bryant, J. H. McLean, C. J. Boehm, Marion C. Rhodes, John Schmoll, F. E. Bousch, E. B. Schaberg, Conrad L. Schopp, S. S. Clark, C. T. Dana, J. D. Fisher, Edgar Broemelsick, St. Louis; J. Arthur Francis, D. E. Fletcher, B. P. Burnham, Arthur Huff, Ironton!

Is your liver out of order? Do you suffer from biliousness, headaches, constipation? If so, Tanlac is what you need. Arcadia Valley Drug Co.—Adv.

### Granite Ware Special.

11 inch Wash Basins, assorted sizes in Milk Pans, Pudding Pans and Sauce Pans in Titan gray enamel ware—your choice for 10 cents.

LOPEZ STORE CO.

### Services in St. Paul's Episcopal Church.

Lenten service Thursday, March 16, at 7:15 p. m. Meditation on "Some Thoughts from our Lord's Last Discourse." Come and spend a half hour with us. The service is open to the public.

Services Sunday, March 19th: Holy Communion and Sermon, 11 a. m.; Evening Prayer and Sermon, 7:30 p. m. A cordial welcome to all.

WM. LARUE WITMER, Rector.

### Benefit Recital.

The pupils of Mrs. Mayfield Huff will give a Voice and Piano Recital at the Academy of Music, Thursday evening, March 16th. The proceeds will go to the local Provident Association. The program is varied and interesting. Admission, 10 and 25c. Come out and help the cause.

Save 50 per cent by buying your Shredded Coconut in bulk at Lopez Store Co.

## Academy Theatre.

### Voice and Piano Recital

—BY—  
Pupils of Mrs. Mayfield Huff

FOR BENEFIT OF PROVIDENT ASSOCIATION

THURSDAY, MARCH 16. 10c and 25c, including War Tax.

THOS. H. INCE Presents

## CHARLES RAY

—IN—  
"A Village Sleuth"

A Paramount Picture

There was dirty work afoot! Gosh! Even folks that wasn't detectives knew that.

For why them tracks to the lonely lake? And a rich man, vanished? And funny goin's on in that smart doctor's Home for Nervous Women? And a fortune in jewels stolen? And the mystery house in the woods? And all of them jealous, accusin' eyes on a sweet and beautiful actress lady who never, never done wrong? But Nicholas Carter Wells had a clue, and—sh-h! Come see Sherlock Holmes's ghost turn pale with envy! Five rousing reels of laughs and excitement!

ALSO FOX NEWS

SATURDAY, MARCH 18. 10c and 20c, including War Tax.

Zane Grey's Popular Story

## THE MAN OF THE FOREST

A Massive Tale of Love and Adventure,  
with an All Star Cast, Including

Robert McKim, Claire Adams,  
Carl Gantvoort

TUESDAY, MARCH 21. 10c and 25c, including War Tax.

### American Legion.

Do not fail to attend the big dance given by the Edward Wendell Post, No. 64, on St. Patrick's Day, Friday, March 17th.

The next regular meeting of this Post will be tonight, Wednesday, March 15. Members should not fail to attend; other ex-service men wishing to join should be on hand. Do not delay; we are started to the two hundred mark. Will you be one of them or will you stay out in the cold?

We want the present address of all ex-service men who went from this county and those who are now living in Iron county so they can be notified as soon as the bonus blanks arrive. While you can keep in touch with our members better, do not fail to forward us your name and complete address if you wish to receive the proper notice.

To become a member forward \$2.00 to Victor Boring, Post Adjutant, Ironton, Mo., at once, and say "send me an application for membership." You will then receive proper instructions. Do this now.

LOUIS R. MILLER,  
Post Commander.

Fresh Buttermilk Feed for baby chicks at Lopez's.

### Annapolis News.

Some rain the past week and creeks flushed.

Fifty two stockholders of the Annapolis Lead Company came from St. Louis in a special car on train No. 3 last Saturday and had dinner at the mines and inspected the property. They returned to St. Louis on train No. 4 that evening. They are still pumping water out of the mine and taking out some mineral.

Some one sneaked into S. L. Dunn's barber shop, one day last week while he was at dinner and stole a coat and other articles.

Walter White has bought the estate of Wm. Smith, deceased, on Richland Creek.

John Smith expects to go to the Boston Mountains in Arkansas this spring.

Ties and props are no longer in demand in Annapolis. The buyers are overstocked and can get no orders.

Robert Funk is moving back to his old stand, west of Big Creek.

Sam Moss is thinking of moving back to town and occupying Wade Hampton's property.

Mrs. Gus Funk continues in poor health at the home of her daughter, Mrs. James Slusher, on Crane Pond.

Wm. Dunn, who recently joined the navy, is now stationed in South Carolina.

Wm. Sutton of Annapolis has purchased the saw mill of Robert Seal on

Marble Creek and moved it to the head of Leatherwood, where he has a fine lot of pine, oak and hickory timber. It is a ten mile haul to Annapolis.

Your correspondent is informed that a "white mule" was tied up near here last Saturday night.

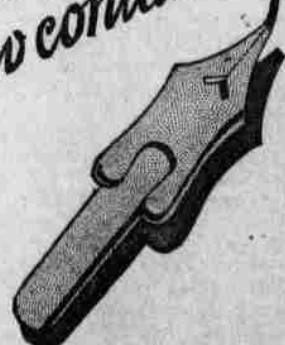
Elmer Loyd, our town marshal, is cleaning up the streets. He wants Squire Kitchell to move his office or build a new flue.

BULLETIN.

Tanlac is well advertised, but advertising alone could not have produced Tanlac's popularity. It had to have merit. Arcadia Valley Drug Co.—Ad.

Attend the Recital Thursday evening. Benefit of Provident Association. Admission, 10 and 20 cents.

Chew fresh tobacco. Try Penn's the next time. Fresh! Airtight in the patented new container



PENN'S CHEWING TOBACCO

Manufactured by The American Tobacco Co.